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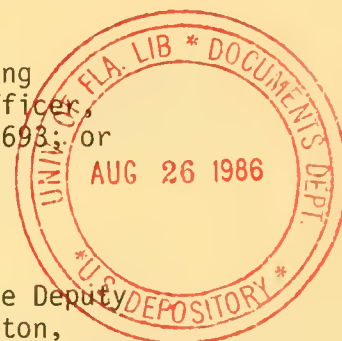
During the week of August 4-August 8, the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Agricultural Marketing Service announced 4 commodity purchases totaling 33,054,000 pounds at a cost of \$15,433,000.

The purchases were: frozen cut-up chicken and chicken products; beef patties (100% beef and patties with vegetable protein); green beans (canned and frozen); and frozen beef carcasses (purchased by the Commodity Credit Corporation (CCC)). Offers for frozen boneless beef were rejected.

Offers were invited for: frozen cut-up chicken and chicken products; frozen beef patties; frozen boneless beef; and frozen beef carcasses.

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## WEEK'S PURCHASES

## OFFERS INVITED

Commodity	Quantity <sup>1</sup> / (1,000 lbs.)	Cost <sup>1</sup> / (\$1,000)	Award range <sup>2</sup> / 	Shipping period	Bids due	Acceptance by	Shipping period
Green Beans (canned)	20,246	3,940	\$5.50- \$7.25	Sep 16- Jan 31	:	"NONE"	:
Green Beans (frozen)	1,014	294	\$7.39- \$8.25	Sep 16- Jan 31	:	"NONE"	:

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Cut-up Chicken	2,166	1,742	\$0.6999- \$0.8281	Sep 7- Sep 20	Aug 15	Aug 21	Sep 21- Oct 4
Bulk Pack	432	310	\$0.6750- \$0.7373	Sep 7- Sep 20	Aug 15	Aug 21	Sep 21- Oct 4
Thighs and Drumsticks	76	43	\$0.5712	Sep 7- Sep 20	Aug 15	Aug 21	Sep 21- Oct 4
Drumsticks	380	204	\$0.5111- \$0.5650	Sep 7- Sep 20	Aug 15	Aug 21	Sep 21- Oct 4
Beef Patties	2,020 (2,738)	1,657 (2,372)	\$0.7303- \$1.1036 <u>3</u> /	Sep 7- Sep 13	Aug 15	Aug 22	Sep 21- Sep 27
Beef, Boneless	"OFFERS REJECTED" (360)	(406)			Aug 13	Aug 18	Aug 24- Sep 6
Beef Carcasses, Frozen	6,720 (89,600)	7,242 (97,396)	\$1.0100- \$1.1350 <u>4</u> /	Aug 17- Aug 30	Aug 12	Aug 15	Aug 24- Sep 6

1/ Upper figure is current week's purchase. Lower figure, in parentheses, is cumulative total for the ongoing purchase program.

2/ In dollars per pound--except green beans (canned and frozen)--dollars per case.

3/ Beef patties 100% - \$0.9185 to \$1.1036 per pound; patties with vegetable protein - \$0.7303 to \$0.9950 per pound.

4/ Steer and heifer carcasses - \$1.1085 to \$1.1350 per pound;  
cow carcasses - \$1.0100 to \$1.0325 per pound.

# AWARDS

## CHICKEN

COMPANY & F.O.B. DESTINATION	NO. LB.	PRICE \$/LB.
COMMODITY A (CUT-UP)		
SANDERSON FARMS, INC. COLLINS, MS SAN ANGELO, TX	38,000	0.8171
GREEN ACRE FARMS, INC. WALNUT GROVE, MS CINCINNATI, OH FT. WAYNE, IN KANSAS CITY, MO	38,000 38,000 152,000	0.8184 0.8211 0.8213
SIMMONS INDUSTRIES, INC. SILOAM SPRINGS, AR TULSA, OK	76,000	0.7824
ROCKINGHAM POULTRY COOP., INC. BROADWAY, VA BALTIMORE, MD SOUTH POCOMOKE, MD	38,000 38,000	0.7799 0.7819
SANDERSON FARMS INC. LAUREL, MS HARAHAN, LA	38,000	0.8100
GRESS FARMS, INC. SCRANTON, PA WESTBURY, NY	76,000	0.7995
MORIAH KOSHER POULTRY NEW YORK, NY WESTBURY, NY	38,000	0.6999
FIELDALE CORP. BALDWIN, GA GRIFFIN, GA JACKSONVILLE, FL (F.A.S.) EASTMONT, AL BIRMINGHAM, AL E. BERNSTADT, KY LOUISA, KY FT. MYERS, FL LAKE WALES FL	76,000 38,000 38,000 38,000 38,000 38,000 38,000 76,000	0.8121 0.8200 0.8187 0.8281 0.8217 0.8217 0.8281 0.8261

COMPANY & F.O.B. DESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
COMMODITY A (CUT-UP)--CONTINUED		
GRESS FOODS GAINESVILLE, GA AUGUSTA, CA PHILADELPHIA, PA ASHEVILLE, NC MORGANTON, NC N. WILKESEBORO, NC SALISBURY, NC LANDOVER, MD TOLEDO, OH GAINESVILLE, FL GREENVILLE, SC COLUMBIA, SC	38,000 76,000 38,000 38,000 38,000 38,000 38,000 114,000 38,000 38,000 76,000	0.8055 0.8174 0.7999 0.8020 0.8035 0.8029 0.8160 0.8161 0.8108 0.7989 0.8082
GOLDENROD BROILERS, INC. CULLMAN, AL LOUISVILLE, KY EAST RIDGE, TN	38,000 38,000	0.7832 0.7792
CHOCTAW MAID FARMS, INC. CARTHAGE, MS BATON ROUGE, LA LUBBOCK, TX ST. PAUL, MN FT. WAYNE, IN YOUNGSTOWN, OH AMARILLO, TX SOUTHTON, TX JACKSON, MS TUPELO, MS	76,000 76,000 76,000 76,000 38,000 38,000 38,000 76,000 76,000 76,000	0.7889 0.8036 0.8063 0.7997 0.8063 0.8063 0.7984 0.7865 0.7879
COMMODITY B (BULK PACK)		
GOLD KIST, INC. ATLANTA, GA BERRYVILLE, AR ASHLAND, AL BOAZ, AL	72,000 216,000 72,000	0.7373 0.7249 0.7249
O. K. FOODS INC. FT. SMITH, AR FT. SMITH, AR	72,000	0.6750

# AWARDS

CHICKEN--CONTINUED

COMPANY & F.O.B. DESTINATION	NO. LBS.	PRICE \$/LB.
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COMMODITY C (THIGHS AND DRUMSTICKS)

MAR-JAC, INC. GAINESVILLE, GA		
MONTGOMERY, AL	38,000	0.5712
BIRMINGHAM, AL	38,000	0.5712

COMMODITY D (DRUMSTICKS)

TYSON FOODS OXFORD, AL		
JACKSONVILLE, FL (F.A.S.)	76,000	0.5265
MILLARD, NE	38,000	0.5400
CASPER, WY	38,000	0.5650

CONTINENTAL GRAIN CO. DECATUR, AL		
PORTLAND, ME	38,000	0.5440
PROVIDENCE, RI	38,000	0.5387
TUSCALOOSA, AL	38,000	0.5111
MOBILE, AL	38,000	0.5151
LOS ANGELES, CA (F.A.S.)	76,000	0.5545

# AWARDS

## TYPE 3 - 100% BEEF PATTIES:

BLUE RIBBON MEATS, INC.			
HIALEAH, FL			
FORT MEYERS, FL	39,600	0.9596	
TOTAL AWARDED - 39,600 LBS.			

GOLDBERGER, INC.			
MINNEAPOLIS, MN			
COLUMBUS, GA	39,600	0.9469	
DORAVILLE, GA	39,600	0.9469	
MASON CITY, IA	39,600	0.9190	
SIOUX CITY, IA	39,600	0.9185	
DAVENPORT, IA	39,600	0.9210	
VINELAND, NJ	79,200	0.9500	
MILWAUKEE, WI	118,800	0.9215	
TOTAL AWARDED - 396,000 LBS.			

H&H MEAT PROD. CO.			
MERCEDES, TX			
LAWRENCEVILLE, GA	39,600	0.9500	
MARIETTA, GA	39,600	0.9500	
TOTAL AWARDED - 79,200 LBS.			

MONFORT OF COLORADO, INC.			
GREELEY, CO			
NAMPA, ID	39,600	0.9689	
SALT LAKE CITY, UT	39,600	0.9592	
ACANA (GUAM), GQ	39,600	1.1036	
TOTAL AWARDED - 118,800 LBS.			

## TYPE 4 - BEEF PATTIES AND VPP:

GOLDBERGER, INC.			
MINNEAPOLIS, MN			
NAMPA, ID	39,600	0.7897	
GRANITE CITY, IL	356,400	0.7362	
MILLARD, NE	39,600	0.7303	
CHARLESTON, WV	39,600	0.7742	
TOTAL AWARDED - 475,200 LBS.			

H&H MEAT PROD. CO.			
MERCEDES, TX.			
AUGUSTA, GA	39,600	0.7640	
EAST RIDGE, TN	39,600	0.7640	
GRIFFIN, GA	79,200	0.7640	
CINCINNATI, OH	39,600	0.7640	
EAST BERNSTADT, KY	39,600	0.7540	
LOUISA, KY	39,600	0.7540	
LOUISVILLE, KY	39,600	0.7540	
JACKSON, MS	39,600	0.7470	
TUPELO, MS	118,800	0.7470	
ST. LOUIS, MO	237,600	0.7577	
TOTAL AWARDED - 712,800 LBS.			

SERVICE PACKING CO.			
LOS ANGELES, CA			
SAIPAN (CNMI), TQ	39,600	0.9950	
TOTAL AWARDED - 39,600 LBS.			

SUPREME BEEF PROC.			
DALLAS, TX			
JACKSONVILLE, FL (F.A.S.)	39,600	0.7784	
TOTAL AWARDED - 39,600 LBS.			

TAYLOR PACKING CO., INC.			
WYALUSING, PA			
BALTIMORE, MD	39,600	0.7790	
PHILADELPHIA, PA	79,200	0.7790	
TOTAL AWARDED - 118,800			

## STEER AND HEIFER CARCASSES:

GLOBE PACKING CO.			
LOS ANGELES, CA			
GLOUCESTER, NJ	120,000	1.1350	
TOTAL AWARDED - 120,000 LBS.			

HYPLAINS DRESSED BEEF, INC.			
DODGE CITY, KS			
TAMPA, FL	200,000	1.1299	
TOTAL AWARDED - 200,000 LBS.			

MOYER PACKING CO.			
SOUDERTON, PA			
GLOUCESTER, NJ	240,000	1.1285	
TOTAL AWARDED - 240,000 LBS.			

NATIONAL BEEF PACKING CO.			
LIBERAL, KS			
TAMPA, FL	400,000	1.1300	
TOTAL AWARDED - 400,000 LBS.			

REELFOOT PACKING CO.			
UNION CITY, TN			
TAMPA, FL	120,000	1.1286	
TOTAL AWARDED - 120,000 LBS.			

SWIFT INDEPENDENT PACKING CO.			
AMARILLO, TX			
TAMPA, FL	800,000	1.1261	

SWIFT INDEPENDENT PACKING CO.			
GARDEN CITY, KS			
TAMPA, FL	1,200,000	1.1289	
TOTAL AWARDED - 2,000,000 LBS.			

TAYLOR PACKING CO., INC.			
WYALUSING, PA			
GLOUCESTER, NJ	120,000	1.1085	
TOTAL AWARDED - 120,000 LBS.			

J. W. TREUTH & SONS, INC.			
BALTIMORE, MD			
GLOUCESTER, NJ	40,000	1.1350	
TOTAL AWARDED - 40,000 LBS.			

## COW CARCASSES:

GLOBE PACKING CO.			
LOS ANGELES, CA			
GLOUCESTER, NJ	80,000	1.0300	
TOTAL AWARDED - 80,000 LBS.			

REELFOOT PACKING CO.			
UNION CITY, TN			
GLOUCESTER, NJ	200,000	1.0100	
TOTAL AWARDED - 200,000 LBS.			


VALLEYDALE PACKERS, INC.			
BRISTOL, VA			
TAMPA, FL	200,000	1.0286	
TOTAL AWARDED - 200,000 LBS.			

WESTERN VALLEY PACKING CO.			
SCOTTSBLUFF, NE			
GLOUCESTER, NJ	3,000,000	1.0325	
TOTAL AWARDED - 3,000,000 LBS.			



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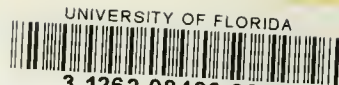
COMPANY AND SHIPPING POINT		NO. CASES	PRICE PER CASE	COMPANY AND SHIPPING POINT		NO. CASES	PRICE PER CASE
BEANS, GREEN, CANNED 6/10				BEANS, GREEN, FROZEN 30 LB.			
DEL MONTE CORP PLOVER	WI	49,950	\$5.50	SEABROOK BROTHERS & SONS INC SEABROOK NJ		2,600	\$8.23
		24,975	\$5.74	TOTAL AWARDED:		2,600	PRICE: \$8.23
		30,525	\$5.94				
		99,900	\$6.00	DRAPER-KING COLE INC MILTON DE		13,000	\$7.95
		49,950	\$6.25	TOTAL AWARDED:		13,000	PRICE: \$7.95
		37,925	\$6.50				
TOTAL AWARDED:	293,225	RANGE: \$5.50-6.50		DENNIS SALES, LTD WALKERVILLE MI		5,200	\$7.575
KRIER FOODS, INC. BELGIUM	WI	4,625	\$6.40	TOTAL AWARDED:		5,200	PRICE: \$7.575
		9,250	\$6.55				
		9,250	\$6.65	HANOVER BRANDS INC HANOVER PA		2,600	\$8.25
TOTAL AWARDED:	23,125	RANGE: \$6.40-6.65		TOTAL AWARDED:		2,600	PRICE: \$8.25
MICHIGAN FRUIT CANNERS INC COLOMA MI		10,175	\$6.70	NORTH PACIFIC CANNERS & PACKERS STAYTON OR		2,600	\$7.39
TOTAL AWARDED:	10,175	PRICE: \$6.70		TOTAL AWARDED:		2,600	PRICE: \$7.39
SENECA FOODS CORP, EASTERN DIV GENEVA NY		4,625	\$7.25	U. S. FOOD SERVICE WALKERVILLE MI		3,900	\$7.50
TOTAL AWARDED:	4,625	PRICE: \$7.25				3,900	\$7.575
COMSTOCK FOODS S. DAYTON NY		925	\$6.99	TOTAL AWARDED:		7,800	RANGE: \$7.50-7.575
		925	\$7.24				
TOTAL AWARDED:	1,850	RANGE: \$6.99-7.24					
NORTHWEST PACKING CO VANCOUVER WA		82,325	\$6.47				
TOTAL AWARDED:	82,325	PRICE: \$6.47					
OCONOMOWOC CANNING CO POYNETTE WI		22,200	\$6.65				
SCOTTVILLE MI		22,200	\$6.50				
		22,200	\$6.55				
		22,200	\$6.60				
		22,200	\$6.70				
		3,700	\$6.75				
TOTAL AWARDED:	114,700	RANGE: \$6.50-6.75					
S & K INDUSTRIES, INC VANCOUVER WA		2,775	\$6.47				
TOTAL AWARDED:	2,775	PRICE: \$6.47					



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